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Seven corpses of Japanese and two carcasses of horses, evidently from the ill-fated transports, were washed up on the coast of Tottori prefecture during Sunday and Monday last, says the *Kobe Chronicle* of the 8th instant.

MORE MINES.

The U.S. Consul-General at Shanghai has received telegraphic information of five mines and two derelict junks adrift in various parts of the Gulf of Pechili.

RUSSIAN PLANS.

A Tokyo telegram to the *N.C. Daily News* on the 13th inst. said: The Russian main line now extends from Tashikchio to Haiching and Liaoyang, along the railway.

It is considered not improbable that the Russians at Tashikchio will again fall back to concentrate between Amshantien and Liaoyang, where there are semi-permanent defences in existence, with the view of having a big battle-field, where the Russian tanks will not be menaced by snail Japanese columns.

REPORTED CAPTURE OF A BRITISH COLLIER. A private telegram received at Shanghai July 14th from Chefoo reported that the C. E. and M. Company's str. *Huiping* had been captured by the Japanese.

THOSE FLOATING MINES.

Why do we read that "the 'X.Y.Z.' posted a floating mine, latitude and longitude so and so?" asks Mr. A. L. Anderson in the *N.C. Daily News*. Why is it that the captain of the steamer, who in nine cases out of ten would risk lives and lose time to rescue a few shipwrecked natives, does not expend a little time, and without risk, destroy that which an hour later may cost a hundred people their lives? It would surely be very simple to approach the "X.Y.Z." as near as 100 yards to the mine and with the rifles which nearly all the coast boats carry fire at it until two or three perforations in the envelope admit the water and sink the mine. In the unlikely event of this explosion of the fulminate by a jar or contact, the ship at 100 yards distance would be in no danger—or even at 50 yards, if bow on. I feel sure that the ordinary rifle bullet would pierce it or the soft iron at 100 yards distance, and the envelopes are not thicker than that. In the improbable event of there being no fire-arms on board, or of the weather being too rough to permit of accurate shooting, a lot of wood or bundle of damage at the end of 75 or 80 fathoms of rope could be veered astern and by a quick change of helm made to explode the mine.

THE "KAIMON'S" FATE.

A dispatch reached the Imperial Headquarters from Admiral Togo stating that while working on special service on the 5th instant, the gunboat *Kaimon* during a dense fog struck a mine laid by the enemy outside Taku, and sank. Most of the crew were saved. Commander Takahashi, Chief Gunner Matsushita, and 19 men were missing. Commander Takahashi ordered the crew to leave the vessel, but refused to leave himself, despite the entreaties of the officers and men under his command. He remained on the bridge to the last, and appears to have gone down with the ship.

The *Kaimon* was a gun-boat of 1367 tons, with a speed of 12 knots. She was built in 1882. Her complement was 230 men.

EMPRESS REPROVES VICEROYS.

A Joint Memorial recently sent up to the Throne by Viceroy Yuan, of Tientsin; Chang, of Wuhsang, and Tsen, of Canton, on the subject of the necessity of immediate and drastic reforms in the government machinery of the country, and giving the reasons therefor, is said to have greatly touched the Empress Dowager, who readily agreed with the joint memorialists. According to the usual custom an Imperial Rescript was to be sent to the three Viceroys on the subject, and, as usual, her Majesty commanded the Grand Council to draw up the Rescript for her. The important issues presented by the three Viceroys appeared to be too abstruse for the intellect of the old fogies composing the Grand Council, for they were at a complete loss how to draw up an intelligent Rescript showing that their Majesties understood and concurred with the views of the memorialists. Finally, says the *N.C. Daily News* translator, after much hesitation, a rough copy of the intended Rescript was drawn up, according to the mental understandings of the composers, and handed up to the Throne for her Majesty's approval. After, apparently, vainly trying to understand what her Grand Councilors meant, the Empress Dowager gave a contemptuous look at the trembling white-headed mandarins kneeling below the Imperial dais, and handed the paper to the Emperor with the remark in loud tones—"Here, you know more of this matter than the whole lot put together of these men down there; see what you can make of this literary effusion." His Majesty read the paper carefully, and then taking up a pen, wrote out another Rescript, more intelligible to his Imperial Aunt and dealing thoroughly and intelligently with the questions propounded by the three principal and most enlightened Viceroys of the Empire. Dowager, who at once commanded her seal to be affixed to the document and ordered the Rescript to be immediately telegraphed to the three Viceroys. The Empress Dowager is also reported to have said on that occasion:—"If you who compose the highest Council of the Empire display such lamentable (k'ien) ignorance on these all-important questions of the hour, how are we to make China progress and be the powerful and wealthy Empire she should be?"

The Government of India have sanctioned the provision of cricket grounds of the authorized dimensions in Punjab Stations for Batteries and Companies of Royal Artillery.

THE REVISED ORDINANCES OF HONGKONG.

COMPLIMENT TO SIR JOHN CARRINGTON.

Before the business in the Bankruptcy Court was entered upon yesterday His Honour the Chief Justice, Sir William M. Goodman, addressing the Bar, said:—Gentlemen—Before proceeding with the business of the day I should like to make a few remarks on the new edition of the Ordinances of Hongkong which have come into force since the proclamation in the *Gazette Extraordinary* yesterday. These are now in force, and this is the first sitting of the Court since they have been in force; and I think it might be of interest to the public to make some remarks upon them. As the new edition of the Ordinances of this Colony has now been brought into force, I should like to express the obligation under which we, of the legal profession, feel ourselves to the late Chief Justice, Sir John Carrington, for the care, the trouble and the ability he has expended upon this most useful work. At the end of December, 1900, Ordinance No. 36 of 1900, entitled "An Ordinance to make provision for the Preparation and Publication of a New and Revised Edition of the Statute Laws of the Colony," was passed, and Sir John Carrington, C.M.G., was appointed commissioner to undertake the task, which, in spite of ill health (causing his retirement from office), and many difficulties, he has so successfully accomplished. Section 10 of the Ordinance provided that, on the completion of the printing and binding of the copies, the Seal of the Colony was to be impressed on the title page of each copy, then the new Edition was to be laid before the Legislative Council for approval. Such approval, when given, was to be notified by Proclamation in the *Gazette*. All this has been now done (see the *Gazette Extraordinary* of July 20th, 1904), and, therefore, section eleven of the Ordinance now has full effect. That section is as follows:—"From and after the date of such Proclamation the new edition shall be deemed to be, and shall be, without any question, in all Courts of Justice and for all other purposes whatsoever, the sole and only Statute Book of this Colony up to the date of the latest of the Ordinances contained therein: Provided that nothing in this section shall affect the operation of any Ordinance which may be passed before such approval by the Legislative Council, for the repeal, alteration or amendment of any earlier Ordinance after such Ordinance has been already printed in the new edition." Of course, in some instances, the number of an Ordinance has had to be altered; but the excellent tables of reference contained in the third volume show at a glance what has become of each Ordinance in the edition of the Ordinances hitherto in use, and where and under what number it is to be found in the New Edition. So far as I can judge in the short time I have had, I may say that the Index appears to be an admirable one. I can recall the former edition in four volumes being brought out in 1890 and 1891, and the concise edition in two volumes in 1891 and 1892, both compiled by Mr. A. J. Leach, now Mr. Justice Leach, the larger edition being brought out under the general supervision of the Law Revision Commission of that day. One contained all the Ordinances to the end of 1887, while the other contained only the Ordinances then in force, to the end of 1890. They were most useful works, but the Index, if such it can be called, was most meagre. Since 1890, legislation has been most active, and the result has been the passing, not only of many new Ordinances, but of a great number of Ordinances repealing or amending or re-amending the Ordinances contained in those former editions. It was, therefore, most necessary that an up-to-date edition of local statutes and one of a really authoritative character should be brought out. The reason why this edition stops at the end of 1901 is explained by Sir John Carrington in his preface. Through his being ill and having to go home, most of the proofs had to pass between Hongkong and London, causing great delay. I see that the number of Ordinances now in force contained in the new edition is only about 213. This is owing to the latter amendments being incorporated in the Ordinances to which they refer. Anyone possessing the Ordinances for 1902 and 1903, and the few passed this year, together with this new edition, has all the Ordinances now in force in Hongkong. At first it may be that the alterations in the numbering may cause some perplexity. For instance, the Bankruptcy Ordinance is now No. 7 of 1901. I refer to that as I am taking Bankruptcy matters to-day. But if you turn to its heading in the new edition you will find that it incorporates what was, formerly, Ordinance No. 29 of 1891, together with the Ordinances formerly known as No. 6 of 1892, 24 of 1895, 2 of 1901, and 29 of 1901, section 7, so that one has now to refer to only one Ordinance instead of five in order to ascertain the law of Bankruptcy, while if one refers to any of the old numbers in the chronological table contained in the third volume he sees at a glance where it is to be found in the new edition. I may further mention that to prevent difficulty in the cases where forms or other documents contain only references to the old numbers, Section 12 of the Statute Laws (Revised Edition) Ordinance, 1900, expressly provides as follows:—"Where in any enactment or in any document of whatsoever kind, reference is made to an enactment repealed or otherwise affected by or under the operation of this Ordinance, such references shall, where necessary, be deemed to extend and apply to the corresponding enactment in the new edition." It will also be observed that short titles are affixed to the Ordinances in the new edition. Some years ago these were sometimes omitted. I cannot but think that, in a very short time, when people get accustomed to the

occasional alterations in the old and familiar numbers of the various Ordinances, the great advantage of the present edition will be recognised. I am sure I am only giving expression to the feeling of the legal profession when I congratulate Sir John on the manner in which he has completed his difficult task.

The Court then proceeded to the consideration of the business of the day.

SUPREME COURT.

Thursday, 21st July.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

BEFORE HIS HONOUR SIR W. M. GOODMAN (CHIEF JUSTICE).

A COMFORTING FACT.

In the matter of Lau Kok Chow *ex parte* Chin Kok Lam, Mr. P. W. Goldring, solicitor, of Mr. John Hastings's office, appeared in support of an application for a receiving order, on behalf of the petitioning creditor. He stated that as his Lordship would see from the affidavits the creditors would get about 60 per cent.

The petitioning creditor, when examined in the witness-box, stated that the bankrupt owed him \$3,000. He had no security except a promissory note.

His Lordship asked him if the debtor had asked him to file this petition?

The petitioning creditor—Yes.

His Lordship asked him why he had not taken an action against the debtor instead of making this application? Were there other actions against the debtor?

The witness stated that there were not so far as he was aware.

Mr. John Hays, of Messrs. Johnson, Stokes and Master, solicitors (who appeared in another case) mentioned to his Lordship that there were other actions pending against the debtor.

His Lordship granted the order and appointed Mr. Bruce Shepherd Official Receiver, remarking:—Well, that is all right; it is comforting to get someone to speak the truth occasionally.

DELIVERY OF SHARES.

The Court next took up the adjourned hearing of an application by the Official Receiver (Mr. Bruce Shepherd) for Li Chung Chow to deliver up 15 shares in the Union Insurance Society of Canton, Ltd., in the matter of Wong Tat Hing, *ex parte* Wong Hoi Shun.

Mr. H. E. Pollock, K.C. (instructed by Mr. F. B. L. Bowley, Crown Solicitor), appeared on behalf of the Official Receiver, and Mr. M. W. Slade, barrister-at-law (instructed by Mr. J. Hays, of Messrs. Johnson, Stokes and Master, solicitors), appeared to oppose the application.

The application was for the delivery by Li Chung Chow of the scrip for 15 shares in the Insurance Company now standing in the bankrupt's name in the books of the Company and in Li Chung Chow's possession.

Evidence was led, and the case was afterwards adjourned till to-day (Friday).

POLICE COURT.

Thursday, 21st July.

BEFORE MR. H. H. J. GOMPERTZ (ACTING POLICE MAGISTRATE).

SUMMONS WITHDRAWN.

Mr. M. W. Slade, barrister (instructed by Mr. E. J. Grist, solicitor, of Messrs. Wilkinson & Grist), asked permission to withdraw a summons in which Thos. Wild Hornsby, manager of the Stockton Milling Co., was complainant against Tsang Lau Kok, manager of the Wing Chung Firm. Civil proceedings had been commenced. The charge against the defendant was that of falsely applying a trade mark, that of the "Crown" Brand of flour, to inferior flour supplied by the defendant's firm. A search warrant had been issued and 1,700 bags of flour seized.

Mr. G. C. C. Master, solicitor, of Messrs. Johnson, Stokes and Master, applied that the goods be released.

UNLAWFUL POSSESSION.

L. Serrit, Sullivan charged a man with unlawful possession of lead and copper. Defendant called a storekeeper to give evidence that he had bought the metal, but witness said he knew nothing about the matter. The man was fined \$20 or six weeks' imprisonment.

EXPLOSIVES.

A man from Yaumati was charged with unlawful possession of dynamite, detonators and percussion caps. He said he was a sub-contractor of works in connection with the building of a road. He bought the goods, he said, from the Lin On Shop for blasting purposes. At first he said he would like to call witnesses, but afterwards changed his mind.

The man was fined \$50 or two months' imprisonment.

ASSAULT.

A fireman belonging to the S.S. *Siberia* was charged with a assault on a woman at West Point. He was fined \$10 or one month's imprisonment.

ROBBERY.

A Chinaman was charged with entering a dwelling house, No. 138, Second Street, West Point, and stealing a portmanteau and some clothes therefrom.

"Do you admit the charge?" asked the magistrate.

"Yes," replied the other in a very loud voice.

Four months' imprisonment and six hours' stocks.

BOY HIJACKED.

A Chinese prostitute charged a Chinese youth, 13 years of age, with snatching a hair pin valued at \$15, from her hair. The defendant was convicted and sentenced to receive ten strokes of the birch.

BEFORE MR. J. H. KEMP (SECOND POLICE MAGISTRATE).

DYNAMITING FISH.

P. C. Winter charged two fishing-junk men with catching fish by means of dynamite cartridges, at Tai O Harbour, in the New Territory. The men pleaded ignorance of the law. They were fined \$40 each.

A TALL STORY.

Inspector J. A. Lyon, of the Sanitary Board, charged a man with carrying on an unlicensed dairy business in Wanchai Road. On the 16th inst., it appears, Inspectors Gauld and Lyon sent an Indian constable in plain clothes to buy milk at the shop, and a bottle was sold to him for ten cents. The defendant said he did not sell any milk to the Indian, and what was more, he did not keep goats. He had, certainly, 20 cows, but he used these for supplying milk for his children (laughter).

"How many children are there?" asked Mr. Kemp.

"Upwards of ten," was the reply.

Mr. Kemp convicted the man and fined him \$100 or three months' imprisonment.

ALLEGED ASSAULT.

Natab Sing, an Indian watchman employed at the Hotel America, charged two Chinese with assaulting him. The complainant had his head "in a sling," and was literally covered with blood. The case was remanded.

"A TRIAD SIGN."

A Chinese watchman employed by the Kowloon Godown Co. charged a man with assault. There was a silk lighter alongside, said the complainant, and the defendant was looking at it. He "moved" the man on. The defendant then put a "light" of his queue in his mouth—which was a Triad sign—and five or six men set upon him. The case was remanded.

CUTTING BRANCHES OF TREES.

For cutting branches of trees at Pokfulam Road, on the hillside, an old Chinaman was fined \$20 or one month's imprisonment.

ALLEGED SLAVE TRAFFIC.

Inspector Hudson, of the Registrar-General's office, charged a woman on remand with buying girls. Mr. P. W. Goldring appeared for the defence. The case was remanded.

"FROM A CATHOLIC TORY."

The following amusing letter to the Editor of the *Saturday Review* is worth reproduction:—

Sir,—Your musical critic, whom we read with so much satisfaction, delight and profit, for his soliloquy is so accurate, and his staccato passages so ear-piercing, seems to me as a humble member of the old faith and a Tory to do some injustice both to my religious and political creeds. I do not wish to be exclusive, and I look forward to the reconciliation of the Roman, Greek and Coptic Churches, with no very immediate hope of seeing my wish fulfilled. Nay, Sir, I would not even shut the door upon the Nestorians and the Anglicans, though humbly believing that they are in error, and having some doubts as to the legitimacy of their orders. I glory in the name of Tory, and hold that Toryism (rightly comprehended) is no bar to democratic feeling and sympathy. These being my opinions, and I think I may say without vanity, my convictions, I venture to register my respectful protest against a phrase of your musical critic's article in your issue of May 28th. As an old Winchester man, I am at one with him as to the "Importance of having Manners," though I venture to think that our pious founder expressed the sentiment more tersely in his "Manners maketh Manne." Your critic, Sir, hopes that our opera may not become an Exeter Hall where the "prosperous pious grocer, having well sanded, his sugar, would sing his practical and Protestant war songs." Now, Sir, without wishing to profane the more than Eleusinian mysteries of Exeter Hall, I feel deeply grieved on reading the above passage, I wish to ask your critic, Sir, if Mr. Kipling is a Radical, a member of the Exeter Hall faction, or for that matter a professed Protestant? Is he not the singer par excellence of the War Song in exiles? Is it not to him that we owe our imperial spirit, and much of the debt thereby incurred? Do not countless thousands read him with reverence, and bless his name, when they pay increased Income Tax? Again, Sir, was not his precursor, the McDermott, a singer of war songs before the Lord (Jingo)? Am I to be as led to believe that a man of such a name was either a Protestant or a Radical? Many old Tories, Sir, still feed their blood tingle when they remember the stirring strains of the "Roxburghs shall not have Constantinople." I maintain, Sir, that owing to McDermott's "at de poitrine" and his soul-inspiring song, more than to anything else, we owe it, that Byzantium still remains under the benign sway of the much-maligned Abdul Hamed. But, Sir, there is more. Were I ask, all the patriots who with whisky, rattles, ticklers, Union Jacks and patriotic melody so nobly celebrated the relief of Mafeking (I am uncertain about the number of "fs" that this word should contain) all Protestants or Radicals? Perish the thought. I know, Sir, writing from my quiet manufacturing parish in Birmingham, that many a Tory, not a few Catholics, and numberless Anglicans, helped to swell the psalms of triumph upon that noble night. The War Song, Sir, is a national, nay an imperial possession. Concealed in the recesses of the Mafeking Hills, filtered through Johannsburg, by way of Mark Lane and Chapel Court, it has gradually become British. When I say British I think I say enough to include all sorts, all faiths, all colours and every kind of music over which our proud banner floats. Let our Opera become an Exeter Hall, Sir, let violins, oboes, psalteries, pianolas, and all kinds of instruments, both brass, wood and wind, perish; but leave us, Sir, our Jew's harp, and our war songs; let them not be the exclusive property, I beg, of one sect or of one faith, and all will be well with the land which we love.

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SHIPPING NOTES.

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

The C.P.R. steamer *Empress of China* arrived at Nagasaki at 8 a.m. on Thursday, the 21st July, and left again at 5.30 p.m. same day for Shanghai, where she is due to arrive at 7 a.m. on Saturday, the 23rd July.

The C.P.R. steamer *Empress of Japan* arrived at Kobe at 9.30 p.m. on Tuesday, the 19th July, and left again at noon on Wednesday for Yokohama, where she is due to arrive at noon on Thursday, the 21st July.

The C.P.R. steamer *Athenian* arrived at Amoy at noon on Thursday, the 21st July, and left again at 3 p.m. same day via Keelung for Shanghai, where she is due to arrive at 7 on Sunday, the 24th July.

The C.P.R. steamer *Tartar* arrived at Shanghai at 9.30 a.m. on Thursday, the 21st July, and left again at 2 p.m. same day for Hongkong, where she is due to arrive at 4 p.m. on Sunday, the 24th July.

The silk ex C.P.R. steamer *Empress of India*, which left Hongkong on the 22nd June and Yokohama on the 1st July, arrived in New York on the 19th July, thus making a transit of 27 days from Hongkong and 18 days from Yokohama.

The steamer *Sagami* left Singapore yesterday for Manila.

WEATHER AT SEA.

The *Kansu*, from Tientsin, reports strong S.W. monsoon and fierce rain squalls. The *Yeddo*, from Singapore, reports fresh S.W. wind and squally. The *Cowingsby* and *Ascot*, from Moji, report strong S.W. gales and heavy squalls.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The German steamer *Taija* arrived from Mauritius yesterday with 700 tons of sugar for the East Asiatic Trading Co.

The *Conynghy* arrived from Moji with 2,260 tons of coal for Messrs. Bradley & Co.; and the *Yeddo* arrived from Barry with 6,400 tons of coal for Messrs. Dowell & Co.

The *Madeline Rickmers* arrived from Bangkok yesterday with 1,550 tons of rice and 50 tons of wood for Messrs. Butterfield & Swire.

The N. D. L. ss. *Roon* arrived from Japan yesterday. She has the homeward mail aboard.

The *Taihsan* arrived from Bangkok yesterday with 1,500 tons of rice for Messrs. Bradley & Co. The P. & O. intermediate s.s. *Java* arrived from London yesterday.

A LONG TOW.

The German steamer *Progress* arrived from Tientsin yesterday with a 272-ton lighter in tow.

NEW LIGHT FOR WHAMPOA.

Yesterday (21st inst.) a spar beacon (unclassified), surmounted by a disc showing a red light, was placed on the northern edge of the channel immediately below the steamer passage through the Whampoa Barrier.

THE RADICALS ON TIBET.

The Metropolitan Radical Federation on June 18th passed the following motion:—"That this council protests against the invasion of Tibet by this country. The Government, in accepting the Russian Government's assurances on the matter, have admitted that they have no pretence for intervention, and such intervention is a violation of the right of nations which can only result in disaster for the people of Tibet and involve the Indian taxpayer in ruinous expense." Sir Henry Cotton, in speaking to this motion, addressed himself to the question of the fear of Russian influence in Tibet as being inimical to our Indian empire. Those who had never seen the Himalayas, he said, could have no conception of the barrier they formed between India and the country that lay to the north, and he could not conceive how anyone should think that Russia ever contemplated sending a considerable force into India by way of Tibet. It was lunacy to suppose that any Power on earth would attempt to send a large army to cross so insuperable a barrier. A great deal was made in some quarters recently of a mission from the Grand Lama of Tibet to the Russian Government. They bore a letter from the Grand Lama to the Russian Foreign Minister, and the contents of that letter, which caused many people so much concern, were to the following effect:—"I am in the enjoyment of excellent health, and I trust that your Excellency is also very well." That was all the letter contained. No Russian had ever been to Lhasa, and the Tibetans entertained the same feeling against admitting the Russians to their country as they did against admitting the English. Our present expedition to Tibet was an act of the grossest immorality. He feared that it would mean ultimately that 15,000 or 20,000 troops would be stationed in that country, and the Tibet was a country which of all others in the world was of the least advantage to ourselves. The resolution, the *Times* says, was adopted unanimously.

[Why are Sir Henry Cotton and his friends worrying, if it is "lunacy to suppose that any Power" could "cross so insuperable a barrier"? According to that, our invasion must fail, and its "gross immorality" thereby become impossible.—ED.]



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Approved,
R. DE LUCA,
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Custom House,
Canton, 20th July, 1904. [1788]

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THE SIXTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held in the COMPANY'S OFFICE, No. 14, Des Voeux Road, Hongkong, TO-MORROW (SATURDAY), 23rd July, at 11 A.M., for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the General Managers for the year ended 30th June, 1904.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 21st to the 23rd JULY, 1904, both days inclusive.

SHEWAN TOMES & CO., General Managers.

Hongkong, 18th July, 1904. [1744]

THE PUNJON MINING COMPANY LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the PUNJON MINING COMPANY LIMITED, will be held at the Registered Offices of the Company, No. 13, Becclesfield Arcade, Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, on THURSDAY, the 28th day of JULY, 1904, at 4 P.M., for the purpose of considering and if thought fit passing the following Special Resolution, that is to say:—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily and that William Kerfoot Hughes and Arthur Rylands Leve be and they are hereby appointed Liquidators for the purpose of such winding up."

Should the above Resolution be passed by the requisite majority, it will be submitted for confirmation as a Special Resolution to a Second Extraordinary General Meeting, which will be subsequently convened.

By Order,

A. R. LOWE, Secretary.

Hongkong, 20th July, 1904. [1780]

THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT AND AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED.

AN INTERIM DIVIDEND of Six Dollars per Share for six months ending June 30th, 1904, will be payable on the 27th instant, on which date Dividend Warrants may be obtained on application at the Company's Office.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 21st to the 27th instant (both days inclusive).

By Order of the Board of Directors,

A. SHELTON HOOPER, Secretary.

Hongkong, 12th July, 1904. [1765]

THE WEST POINT BUILDING COMPANY, LIMITED.

AN INTERIM DIVIDEND of One Dollar and a Half per Share for six months ending 30th June, 1904, will be payable on the 27th instant, on which date Dividend Warrants may be obtained on application at the Company's Office.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 21st to the 27th instant (both days inclusive).

By Order of the Board of Directors,

A. SHELTON HOOPER, Secretary.

Hongkong, 12th July, 1904. [1766]

THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT AND AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED.

General Agents for

THE WEST POINT BUILDING CO., LD.

Hongkong, 12th July, 1904. [1766]

HONGKONG ICE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

IN Accordance with the Provisions of No. 104 of the Articles of Association the General Managers have this day declared an INTERIM DIVIDEND for the half year ended 30th June, 1904, of FOUR DOLLARS per Share.

Dividend Warrants may be obtained on application at the Office of the Company on and after Tuesday, 20th July.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 23rd to the 31st JULY, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., General Managers.

Hongkong, 19th July, 1904. [1779]

A. S. WATSON & CO., LIMITED.

ISSUE OF 30,000 NEW SHARES OF \$10 EACH.

PURSUANT to Resolution of the General Managers of A. S. Watson & Co., Limited, hereby invite applications from the Shareholders of the Company for the issue of 30,000 new shares of \$10 each at a Premium of 10 per cent, or \$11 a share.

Each Registered Shareholder on the 28th day of September, 1904, applying for the New Issue will be entitled to one share for every two shares registered in his name. Shares not applied for by those entitled to apply will be dealt with by the General Managers in accordance with Article 49 of the Company's Articles of Association.

Applications for Shares in the New Issue will be received by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation in Hongkong from the 28th September, 1904, to the 30th September, 1904, both days inclusive, and the whole amount of \$11 per share will be payable on application.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 28th September, 1904, to the 8th October, 1904, both days inclusive.

The present paid-up Capital of the Company is \$800,000, divided into 80,000 shares of \$10 each, and the New Issue is required to increase the Capital of the Company to \$900,000 divided into 90,000 shares of \$10 each.

The whole of the premium received from the New Issue will be placed to the Credit of the Permanent Reserve Fund.

The New Issue will rank for Dividend for the three months ending 31st December, 1904, payable in May, 1905.

Forms of application for the New Issue can be obtained at the Company's Offices in Alexandria Buildings or at the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation in Hongkong, Shanghai, and London.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON, General Managers.

Hongkong, 22nd June, 1904. [1546]

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SCIENTIFIC MISCELLANY.

CASTING GOLD METALS—A DISEASE OF POOR LIVING—RIVERS AS FURNACES—RADIUM IN METEOROLOGY—PERPETUAL MOTION AT LAST—ARTIFICIAL RINGS OF FISHES—FOOD-COLOURED SILK—LINEN PHOTOGRAPHS—EDDIES—TURTLE PATH-FINDING.

In his studies of the effect of compression on finely-divided metals, Prof. Hof, of Witten, Westphalia, has taken turnings of steel, copper, and bronzes, and placed half a pound of each in turn in a steel cylinder of two inches bore, gradually increasing the pressure to 50 tons. With a pressure of ten tons the structure of the turnings could still be seen. The final pressure of 50 tons, however, gave a perfectly homogeneous block, and this could be moulded so nicely as to be ready for nickeling without further finishing. Not least important of the results is the suggestion that turnings may be compressed into many objects more dense and satisfactory than ordinary castings.

Leprosy has been investigated by Jonathan Hutchinson, the great English pathologist, in all parts of the globe where it prevails. He finds nothing to justify the idea of contagion, as attendants in leper hospitals do not contract the disease, nothing like an epidemic is ever known, and even transmission from husband to wife is rare. He attributes the disease to decayed or badly cured fish—not to any excessive use of fish in good condition.

Rivers seem to have played a considerable part in limiting the distribution of animals. A notable instance of many noted by W. L. Distant, a British zoologist, is that of the viscacha, a rabbit-like rodent of South America which is abundant south of the Uruguay, but is unknown to the north, where the country seems quite as well adapted to its habits.

Radium promises to fill a need of the Paris municipal laboratory. Measurement of the electricity of air has depended upon water, which gives trouble by freezing in winter, but radium offers a means of measurement unaffected by cold.

The radium clock of Harrison Martindale, English physicist, practically gives perpetual motion through the dissipation of negatively-charged rays. A small quantity of radium supported in an exhausted glass vessel by a quartz rod is placed in a small tube, to the lower end of which is attached an electroscope of two long strips of silver. The activity of the radium causes an electric current minus beta rays to be transmitted to the silver strips, which expand until they touch the sides of the vessel, when earthed conducting wires instantly discharge them and they fall together. This is repeated every two minutes, marking time in beats of that duration, and theoretically the action will continue until exhaustion of the radium—in this case computed to be 30,000 years in the future.

A new theory is that the age of fishes of the cod family can be determined from the periodic growths of scales. Such growths are known to be annual in the carp, and it is therefore probable that the same is true for salt-water fishes. The view is confirmed by observations on various cods by Mr. J. S. Thomson, a British Biologist. Annual rings seem to be traceable, giving the ages, and it is proposed to test the truth of the theory by returning labelled fishes to the sea for future observation after first recording the present condition of their scales.

Experiments in colouring silk by feeding dyes to the silkworms date back sixty years or more. In the first trials greenish-blue and rose-tinted cocoons resulted from feeding indigo and madder, and many other colouring matters have been tried since—mostly with unsatisfactory results. Late attempts by C. de Labounef and others prove that this method of colouring silk is quite possible, perhaps even commercially practicable, though not with all colours or with all kinds of worms.

The Ambidextral Culture Society of England seek to increase the ability to use the left hand, but without aiming to add to production in the arts by the simultaneous use of both hands.

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The great eddies, or cyclones, of the atmosphere rotate with the hands of a clock in the Southern Hemisphere and in the opposite direction in the Northern Hemisphere. Investigating many small rapids of Central Europe, Jean Brunhes has found a similar tendency in the water eddies. Piles and other obstructions usually form eddies in pairs, that to the left turning with the hands of the clock and that to the right in the opposite way, but natural and normal eddies seem to follow the rule of revolving counter-clockwise. It is assumed that south of the equator the turning is clockwise.

The mental ability of the turtle has been put to test by Prof. E. M. Gerkas, a German zoologist. A box was divided into four compartments by partitions with openings that caused the animal to describe a W in journeying

from one side of the box to its bed on the opposite side. After three trials—the first lasting 35 minutes—the turtle found the nest by the most direct course in about three minutes.

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